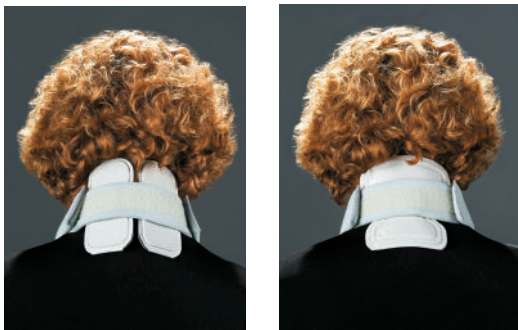


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Headmaster Collar use is recommended for those individuals needing support of the head. It is appropriate for those with muscle weakness or neck pain from a disability than can be relieved by anterior support under the chin. It is recommended that the Collar be fitted under the supervision of a health care professional. It can be fitted to individuals 6 months and older.



Use accessories for extra flexion and extension support (See overleaf).

Contraindications

The Headmaster Collar should not be used if restriction of range of movement of the head and neck will result in difficulty in breathing, swallowing or the aggravation of a pre-existing condition.

Notice to User: Any serious incident that has occurred in relation to this device should be reported to the manufacturer and the competent authority of the Member State in which the user and/or patient is established.

Accessories

Extension Pads

Model #	Size	Fits
HMCPL	Large	Large & Medium
HMCPS	Small	Small & Junior
HMCPD	Child	Child & Infant



Two pads that can be variably placed to give extension or lateral support.

Neck Pads

Model #	Size	Fits
HMNPL	Large	Large & Medium
HMNPS	Small	Small & Junior
HMNPC	Child	Child & Infant



One pad centrally placed for comfortable extension resistance.

Anterior Support

Model #	Size	Fits
AST 01	Large	Large & Medium
AST 02	Small	Small & Junior
AST 03	Child	Child & Infant



An add-on anterior tube (and chin pad) to give solid resistance against flexion.



The Headmaster Collar™ offers firm support for the head and is easy to fit with good access to a tracheal tube, if needed. All parts for the Collar are available as replacement parts, and accessories are available to modify function.

Easily shaped by hand, and with low heat retention, the Headmaster is a cool, comfortable collar. It is easy to put on and remove, with a choice of colours. It has a low profile and unobtrusive appearance.

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Choosing the Correct Size

- Dimension 'a' is the shortest distance under the jaw from the centre of the chin to the angle of the mandible.
- Select the closest size Collar from the table below (choose the smaller Collar if in doubt).



Collar Size	'a'		Size & Colours			
	in.	cm.	Grey	Black	Beige	Blue
Large	5	13	HMC01-G	HMC01-K	HMC01-B	HMC01-U
Med	4.5	11.5	HMC02-G	HMC02-K	HMC02-B	HMC02-U
Small	4	10	HMC03-G	HMC03-K	HMC03-B	HMC03-U
Junior	3.5	9	HMC04-G	HMC04-K	HMC04-B	HMC04-U
Child	3	7.5	HMC05-G	HMC05-K	HMC05-B	HMC05-U
Infant	2.5	6.5	HMC06-G	N/A	N/A	N/A



Pediatric Headmaster Collars are softer and may be fitted to children as young as 6 months.

Fitting Instructions

Shaping of the Collar

- Bend the Collar to the desired height & width by hand.
- It will stay in the shape you set it.



- Bend the Collar to clear the clavicles (collar bones) if necessary.
- A chin pad can be added to the chest portion of the Collar for extra padding if needed.



Large, Medium, Small, Junior & Child sizes available in Beige, Black, Grey & Blue. Infant size available in Grey only.

Final Checks

- Check that the Collar fits snugly under the chin.
- The neckstrap should be around the back of the neck only.



For extra support use the Neck Pad or the Extension Pads to resist extension of the neck. Use the Anterior Support to rigidify the Collar, if needed (shown overleaf).

Using the Headmaster Collar™

- ✓ It is recommended that a Qualified Professional should fit this Collar!
- ✓ Ensure the correct size has been selected!
- ✗ Do not attach this Collar to any other equipment or support!
- ✓ Wash Collar with damp sponge and warm, soapy water. Rinse thoroughly with damp sponge. Air dry.

Symmetric Designs accepts no liability resulting from the misapplication of this product.